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Democratic Ticket.
FOR CONGRESS,
ROLLA K. HART,
Of Fleming County.
FOR COUNTY JUDGE,
W. H. WOODS.
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,
G. W. SKAGGS.
FOR COUNTY CLERK,
ROBT. HIXON.
FOR SHERIFF,
J. W. SHANNON.
FOR JAILER,
R. S. CLAFFIN.
FOR ASSESSOR,
W. A. ARKINGTON.
FOR SURVEYOR,
J. R. DEAN.
FOR CORONER,
J. F. HATTEN.
FOR MAGISTRATE,
Dist. No. 1, A. J. Conley
" " 2, H. B. Hallett
" " 3, L. D. Webb
" " 4, M. F. Gambill
" " 5, M. B. Thompson
" " 6, R. H. Hinkle
" " 7, R. H. Hinkle

FOR CONSTABLE.
Dist. No. 1, J. L. Diamond
" " 2, A. R. Edmunds
" " 3, Jas. Lavejoy
" " 4, G. C. McComas
" " 5, Bud Daniels
" " 6, Hugh Dobbins
" " 7, Hugh Dobbins

It seems that Hon. Joe Kendall has the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Tenth district within his grasp.

The first measure for the repression and suppression of anarchists called forth by the assassination of President Carnot was introduced in the House by Representative W. A. Stone, of Pennsylvania. It defines an anarchist as any one seeking to destroy life by the destruction of property, and provides the death penalty for such attempt.

In an interview in regard to the financial situation, President Cleveland states that there is nothing in the actual condition of the Government's resources to justify any apprehension. He says the Treasury is in much better condition than it was last winter when bonds were issued to replenish the gold reserve, adding that the Government's obligations are being met as fast as due, and that the public credit will be maintained at all hazards.

Hon. R. K. Hart, our Democratic candidate for Congress, was in Owensville Monday shaking hands with his many friends and getting acquainted with the people. Possessed with that spirit of generosity to the poor, for which his father, Theodore Hart, was noted; honored by his home people as they have honored no other man; himself a farmer and thoroughly acquainted with the legislative needs of that class, whose best interest he will zealously guard and foster in Congress; recognized as an able worker in behalf of his party and his people, the Democracy of this Congressional district have indeed a standard-bearer worthy of their united confidence and support, and one who will sweep the district with a majority so big that that man Pugh will think a western cyclone has struck him. Every time Rolla Hart visits this county the enthusiasm for him increases, and when the ballots are counted next November Hart's majority in Bath will be from 350 to 400, the latter, we are convinced by interviews with prominent Democrats all over the county being a very conservative estimate.—Bath Co. World.

France's Troubles.
M. Carnot, President of the French Republic, was stabbed and killed by an Italian anarchist last Sunday evening. It is the worst event since the assassination of President Garfield and has aroused the world. It is to be sincerely hoped that the unreasoned will be strong and persistent enough to wipe anarchy from the face of the earth. Red-handed socialism has been exhibited throughout the world recently and threatens most serious trouble in the near future if not suppressed.
M. Desmire Perier has been elected President of France. A unanimous vote accompanied the election, the socialists definitely and impudently denouncing the suppression of the Republic.

From the jaws of the enemy let Democrats learn their duty. Says the Philadelphia Inquirer:
"Give the Democratic party another term at Washington and the amended Wilson Bill would be amended again, and another step taken toward lower wages and free trade. Democratic pledges have not been kept this year because it was out of the question to keep them. But does anyone suppose the party has undergone a change of heart, and that it will not grasp the first opportunity to again revise the tariff, and in the direction of free trade?"

True as preaching. Give the Democratic party another chance and it will kick the renegades out the back door and give the tariff a revision that revises. There will be no more trimming and hedging, no more backing and filling, no more sniveling and cringing before trusts, no more asking leave of men who have fattened off the people.

No one does suppose that the Democratic party has undergone a change of heart. No one supposes that it will fail to grasp the first opportunity to rid itself of the hindrances that have stood in the way of the fulfillment of its pledges. No one supposes that another step will be taken toward free trade, and few doubt that the step will be a long one.

Curing the country of the protection habit by tapering off is a failure. The appetite is too strong for any treatment short of throttling. The robber baron never fails to get over the threshold when allowed to parley with one foot on the inside. He can not be fought with buttressed foils. His case calls for a swift kick and a shot bolt.

The Inquirer is right. It has sized up the Democratic party correctly—the genuine never-say-die, imperturbable, indomitable and imperishable Democracy, which is a thing quite apart from and better than the time-servers of the hour who betray the trusts of leadership by bartering the people's cause for political apples of Sodom.

It is just as well to have the other fellows understand exactly what they may expect. We want no more room for doubt about what the Democrats mean to do. They mean tariff for revenue only and they mean business. Just give them another chance at the polls and keep your eye on the gun.—Courier-Journal.

DEREFIELD.
Crops of all kinds looks prosperous at present.

We hope that the candidate and cut worm excitement is pretty well over.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jobe is very ill. Wm. Plummer was taken with epilepsy last Saturday but it only proved to be a very slight attack.

Rob. Dean, of Brad, is talking of locating on Daniel's creek.

Reuben Curran, of Stony Lonesome, is doing a nice job of work in the way of repairing J. B. Whitte's grist mill.

Shads Chaffin, of this place, is training his horse for the fourth of July.

Jim Jobe was taken with heart disease Sunday, but is some better. J. H. Jobe and wife were visiting friends and relatives on Cattsfork Sunday.

Smith Hicks, of Blaine, was with us a few days last week.

Owing to the continued dry weather there is but little chance for a success in raising tobacco this summer. Farmers say that nearly two thirds of the plants that have been planted have died.

A number of the Strait creek miners passed through here a few days ago, begging assistance.

D. M. Curran passed up Blaine on business last Saturday.

Dennis Wellman, of Prosperity, was at the Chapel last Sunday. Come again Dennis.

Miss Carrie Hughes, of Fallsburg, is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

RAISING TOBACCO.
Specified Directions for Successful Growing.
[The News has secured a series of articles on the cultivation and curing of tobacco in Eastern Kentucky and will publish the several installments at reasonable dates within the present year.—Ed.]

THE BARN
Is the most expensive thing connected with tobacco raising, thousands fail on this account. The barn that will be sufficient to house ten acres of good tobacco should be thirty six feet wide, twenty feet to the eave and ninety six feet long. This is allowing for each acre to have five thousand good stalks of tobacco, in all fifty thousand, not less than eight thousand sticks of tobacco. Here we would say that a good stick ought to have from one and one-half to two pounds of well cured tobacco. This would amount to between twelve and sixteen thousand pounds, a very respectable little crop. Allowing the barn to be twenty feet to the eave to the top of the square, will give five whole tiers, the rafters should have a slope of eight inches fall to the foot which, if the next tier of four feet higher runs out to the rafters would give two-thirds of a tier. The next one-third, the next four feet, in all six tiers and four feet. Allowing the sticks to be placed eight inches apart from side to side of the barn would give fifty-four sticks in one tier; in six tiers and four feet would give three hundred and thirty sticks in four feet of the length of the barn; there will be twenty-four lengths of a stick in the length of the barn twenty-four times. Three hundred and thirty will give seventy-nine hundred and twenty; near the amount required. This barn requires four rows of posts lengthwise, twelve feet apart, or three bents of twelve feet and nine posts in length or eight bents twelve feet apart; the posts may be all cut twenty feet long and hewed to eight inches square, with nine cross-ties thirty-six feet long tenoned into the eave posts near the top with mortises to receive tenons on the top of the center posts; four posts six by six or six by eight mortised to receive the tenons on the posts on the eaves of the building, and gained on top of the cross-ties on center posts, eighteen posts, six by six inches and eight feet long, to be tenoned into the center plates to support the purlin plate for a support for the rafters with a cross-tie at the top from post to post, twelve feet long tenoned into the posts. Or the center post may be twenty-eight feet long with cross-ties tenoned into them, no braces are needed, but braces from the posts to the plates and cross-ties, and from purlin posts to purlin plate, in all one hundred and forty-six, allowing the eave to project twenty-two inches; the rafters will be twenty-four feet long from point to point allowing two feet between rafters we have ninety-eight rafters two by five; nineteen hundred and sixty ft. laths for shingles, allowing six inches to the weather, laths one by two inches, allowing one hundred feet long will require sixteen hundred and thirty-three feet, face measure. The tier raising should be four by four and twelve feet long, two hundred and twenty-seven in number, thirty-six hundred and thirty-two feet. This does not include the ties over the drive way which should be lengthwise of the barn and twelve feet high, giving a doorway to go in at one end in the center and coming out at the other. These ties should be heavy in case the barn was ever converted into a grain barn, say 8 by 8 and braced. In addition to this 306 loose tier rails are needed to fill up for hanging 3 by 4, 3672 feet. The ties should be 4 feet from the sill, the next above 4 from these and so on to the roof, each tier of tobacco requiring 4 feet of space. The ties that run lengthwise of the barn should be four inches lower than those that run crosswise so that the tier poles will be just level with the cross ties. Seventy-five scantling four by four ten feet long for braces, one thousand feet. Twenty-one thousand five hundred shingles; if covered with boards three feet long and six inches wide, allowing two feet to the weather, will require nine thousand six hundred boards, lath one by three inches, six hundred and fifty feet face measure. Weather boarding one by ten inches, two hundred and sixty-four feet of line, twenty feet long and thirty-six feet of line fifteen feet long—in all fifty-eight hundred and twenty feet, footed up amounts to seventeen thousand seven hundred and seventeen feet, board measure. This does not include the sills four in number ninety six feet in length, and four twelve feet long, thirty-six posts twenty feet long, six plates ninety six feet long, nine cross-ties thirty-six feet long, eighteen purlin posts eight feet long, and eighteen cross-ties twelve feet long—in all twenty-four hundred and twelve feet lineal measure, which may be hewed tim-

ber. The ends should be boxed tight except the large doors to the entrance in the center bent, each door six by twelve feet, so as to leave an opening of twelve feet square, and five windows say two and one-half by four feet, one in top of the gable and two on each side bent, in all ten windows, in the ends, the siding will extend from sill to plate every third plank should be hung with hinges to be opened in curing the tobacco.
H. W. KIMBALL.
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Martin County Convention.
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The purpose of said convention being to nominate a candidate for Congress for this, the Tenth Congressional District of Kentucky. The house was called to order by H. P. Cassidy, Co. Chairman. On motion of James Crum, Hon. T. W. Newberry was elected temporary chairman. On motion of James Hodgins, J. C. Justice was elected Secretary. The chair then appointed Jas. Crum, O. D. Spears, W. R. Cox and N. W. Crum as committee-men to draft rules and resolutions.

While said committee retired to draft rules and resolutions, the convention was addressed by Hon. T. W. Newberry on the Principles of Democracy.

The committee then returned and reported the following:
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1. Resolved, That we approve of the Democratic Platform adopted by the Chicago Convention in 1892.
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3. Resolved, That we approve of the course that Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, has taken and the way he has acted, showing his ability to preside over a nation which is so great as ours.
4. Resolved, That we disapprove of the thieving McKinley bill, and took upon it as the greatest fraud that has ever been practised on the American people.

5. Resolved, That we lay the blame of the present depression of business at the door of the Republican party on account of their misrule and bad laws in the past.
6. Resolved, That we approve of the present Tariff Bill that is before Congress and urge its speedy passage.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this Convention be published in the Kentucky Democrat and the Big Sandy News.

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ed before the convention by Dr. J. M. Johnson.
A rising was then called for and Kendall received first instruction by an overwhelming majority. Stephens was given second instruction by acclamation.
L. C. Richmond, Dr. J. M. Johnson, T. C. Fannin, H. P. Cassidy and Andrew Stephens were elected as delegates to attend the District Convention at Campbell, Ky., on the 20th day of July, 1894, and instructed to cast first ballot for Kendall and second for Stephens.
In case none of the delegates should attend said convention, Prof. W. M. Hyington was instructed to cast the vote of Martin county for Joe Kendall.
On motion of P. P. Hinkle, the convention adjourned sine die.
T. W. NEWBERRY, Ch'n.
J. C. JUSTICE, Sec.

Cough leads to Consumption. Keep Balsam stops the Cough at once.

President Cleveland sent a message to Congress Monday expressing sympathy with France and referring to the assassination of President Carnot as an affliction of mankind. The Senate and the House adopted resolutions expressing the sorrow and sympathy of the American people for the people of France in their national bereavement. Both houses adjourned without transacting any other business.

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In church a man will take
Regardless of the sage expound-
or,
But lovely woman keeps awake
To love the various styles around
her.

—New York Press.

Vaughan is the first to have water-
melons.

L. G. Auxier, of Cincinnati, spent
Sunday here.

Golden Rod flour \$1.75 per barrel
at Vaughan's.

Born, to the wife of Lee A. Gar-
red, a fine son.

Judges Stewart and Burns are
attending the Pike court.

This year's crop of blackberries
is the largest ever known.

Miss Hattie Williams, of Palms-
ville, is visiting in Louisa.

Saunders' face powders, the best
made, for sale by Hughes.

M. G. Terry and one of his daugh-
ters are sick with pneumonia.

Rev. P. P. Holt preached at the
M. E. church Friday evening.

J. W. M. Stewart has returned
from New York and Cincinnati.

You can get fresh bread at
Vaughan's three times a week.

To have your watch repaired in
the best of order take it to Conley's.

Rev. Campbell, a Baptist divine,
has been preaching here this week.

Prof. Anderson and family have
returned from a visit down the riv-
er.

Mrs. J. T. Greover left Wednes-
day for her home at Tazewell coun-
ty, Va.

P. H. Yates has gone to Harbors-
ville, W. Va. to take a shorthand
course.

Col. Northrup's family arrived
home Tuesday evening from Buffa-
lo, N. Y.

Look at Borders & Stewart's offer
on the first page. An offer seldom
equalled.

Wm. B. F. and Boyd Martin
came down from Logan county
this week.

Mrs. Gess Reeder and cousin,
Miss Alice Oles, arrived Wednes-
day evening.

Good Machine or hand thread at
Gunnell's—2 spools for 5c, 200 yds.
white or black.

There is always something inter-
esting in Remmele's advertise-
ment. Read it this week.

Remember that U. W. Hammett
closes his store at dark every
evening except Saturday.

The Wayne county teachers' in-
stitute is in session across the riv-
er. About 150 is the attendance.

Mrs. R. T. Burns and daughter
Mrs. Horton have gone to Russell
county, Va. for an extended visit.

Rolt, Dixon has been sick for
several days with an attack of
pneumonia, but is now much bet-
ter.

The name of Mr. J. H. Dean was
 inadvertently omitted from the
Democratic ticket last week as the
nominee for Surveyor.

R. E. Lee and Ira Wellman have
returned from Grayson, where they
have been busily engaged in paint-
ing during the past two or three
months.

Lack of vitality and color-mat-
ter in the bulbs causes the hair to
fall out and turn gray. We recom-
mend Hall's Hair Renewer to pre-
vent baldness and grayness.

Definite arrangements have been
made for the base ball game be-
tween Louisa and Kenova at this
place on July 4th. They are both
good clubs and will play a strong
game.

The announcement of a three-dol-
lar per capita school fund was pre-
sented. The amount will not be
known for about two weeks, but it
will probably be below what it was
last year.

Prof. Willis will conduct the Law-
rence county teachers' institute,
which will be held the first week in
September. He is from Shelby-
ville, Ky., and comes highly re-
commended.

You can subscribe for any news-
paper or magazine through the
news agency at M. E. Conley's
store. It will cost you nothing ex-
tra and will save postage and trou-
ble of ordering.

A party in New York advertised
a never-failing recipe for catching
all the fish in a pond or lake.
Fishers sent one dollar each and
the reply came back: "Drain the
pond, then pick up your fish."

All kinds of fresh cakes at P. H.
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Clover Leaf flour \$1.75 per bar-
rel at P. H. Vaughan's.

You can get anything that you
call for in the grocery line at P. H.
Vaughan's.

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Borders & Stewart. Read their
ad, and that what they are.

Mrs. A. P. Borders and Mrs. Gar-
red arrived home Wednesday even-
ing from Indiana. Mrs. Borders is
much improved.

R. W. Donahat, Ph. D., Presi-
dent of Harboursville college, lec-
tured at the M. E. Church South
last evening. His subject was
"The Pollen and Moral World."

The expression "Is it not enough
for you?" is said to have originated
with a country editor who dreamed
once upon a time that he saw a de-
luded subscriber down in ladies,
who had died owing three years
and eight months on his paper.

The severest storm which has
visited this place for several years
swept over this section Tuesday
evening. Many of the beautiful
shade trees in Louisa were broken,
and in the country the wheat was
laid flat on the ground and any
cause a considerable loss.

P. H. Vaughan is preparing to
build a store building on his lot on
Main street, adjoining the post-
office. It will be 18x60 feet, two
stories high. Work will begin the
last of next week. Mr. Vaughan
will remove his stock of groceries
to the building when completed.

Judge U. G. Burgess, of Wayne
Co., Va., was in Louisa Wednesday.
He is a candidate for re-election to
the office of Criminal Judge, sub-
ject to the Democratic convention.
His record as Judge is in itself a
strong recommendation. He has
shown himself capable and impar-
tial, and is deservedly popular.

One of the reasons assigned for
omitting speaking from the pro-
gram for July 4th is that some of
the politicians have been talking
of turning the opportunity to politi-
cians; and as politics has no place
in such an occasion the commit-
tee will not be without patriotic
suggestions.

Two of the defeated candi-
dates in the Democratic primary have
sent very commendable articles to
the News this week, expressing
their feelings over the result in
strong language. We have heard
almost every other candidate talk
in the same strain. It is needless to
say that this course is admired by
all, as a full expression of the peo-
ple was had, and it is mainly be-
cause of such a case.

The Tobacco Outlook.

Scarcity of plants has curtailed
the tobacco crop of this section to
a considerable extent, and much of
the land prepared for that purpose
has been turned to other uses. The
crop is very promising in quality,
however, and especially that part
which has been planted in new
land. The largest crops in this vic-
inity have been put in by Col. Jay
H. Northrup and Thos. Hammond
and E. H. White. The former has
about fifty acres of his land already
set, and the latter has about thirty
acres.

The price of tobacco has recently
made material advances and the
authorities predict better prices
for the present crop than have been
had for several years. The short-
ness of the crop extends over Ken-
tucky, Tennessee, Illinois and In-
diana.

Spencer don't only keep the coldest
beer, but has the best whisky
in town.

Floyd County.

PRESTONSBURG.
L. H. Gurney went to Pike Sun-
day on business.

Hon. R. S. Hooten has been on
the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Ida Hatcher gave birth to a
little girl baby Friday, it died Sat-
urday.

W. S. Harkins has gone to Pike-
ville to attend court.

Sam Spradlin went to Palmsville
Monday.

Mrs. J. S. Hatcher was visiting
home folks this week.

Emma Woods, of Dwayne, is in
the burg.

Cliff Wellman passed through
here Friday.

Harry Pooley came in Sunday on
his way to Pike.

Rob Kendall left for his home in
West Liberty Monday.

Willie Allen, of Alphonetta, came
to see his best girl Sunday.

Quite a number of the young
folks were out driving Sunday.

Saturday was a big day here.
There were 1000 people here to hold
a convention for the purpose of
nominating a man for Congress.

Hon. Joe M. Kendall, of Floyd,
received the vote of the people 6 to 1.
Also eight other counties have
been heard from, that want for
Kendall; it shows he is the choice
of the people. There were 1000 men
in Kendall's ranks headed by the
brass band. Everything passed
off quietly.

Lee Green every night at Pal-
mets.

Hugh Russell was at the Roman-
an Hotel Sunday.

BOSS SKAGOS.

A Big Attraction for the
Fourth.

It is well known that this Law-
rence county, has for a citizen one
of the largest men in the world.
Boss Skagos was born on the head
of Blaine thirty-three years ago
and has lived in that vicinity ever
since. He weighs 27 pounds, 14 1/2
feet and 11 inches in height, and
measures five and a half feet
around the waist. His arms meas-
ure two feet around and his thighs
three feet.

Boss was always large for his
age, but did not begin to get fat un-
til he was eighteen years old. He
was married at that age. He is a
farmer and housewife and does other
farm work just as industriously
as his neighbors, notwithstanding
the enormous amount of flesh he
carries. His appetite is in full pro-
portion to his size, and the board-
ing house which would charge him
only twice the usual rate would
get the hot end of the bargain. Boss is scien-
tifically growing larger. His clothes are
manufactured at home. He is a
jolly fellow, well contented with
his secluded home. A few years
ago he was induced to go out into
the world to exhibit himself, but
soon tired of the life and returned
home. He could have secured a
good salary for traveling over the
country and exhibiting himself,
but has preferred to remain at home.

Speaking of this man reminds us
that States, one of the most famous
giants of the present century, was
a native of Eastern Kentucky. He
was reared in Letcher county and
the older citizens of Louisa remem-
ber when he was brought here from
his home by some Union soldiers
during the war. He was then a
young man and his size attracted
much attention. Being a Confed-
erate sympathizer he was sarcastic-
ally called "Jeff Davis' Baby." He
was dragged out of his native
haunts as a prisoner but it turned
out to be fortune and fame to him.

He learned that he could make
money by exhibiting himself and
took advantage of it. During his
life he visited many foreign coun-
tries, and accumulated much
wealth.

Lock and Dam.

There is but very little, if any
hope of an addition to the appor-
tionment for the year, and duty of
this place. Senator Blackburn
writes that the policy of the Senate
committee is decidedly against in-
creasing the appropriation.

Big Sandy's failure must be laid
to the recommendation of the com-
mittee of U. S. Engineers, which
was for only \$25,000. In getting
the full amount of this recommen-
dation we have faced better than
most other rivers, nearly all of
which were reduced by the House.
It has not yet been decided whether
or not any work will be done this
year.

If you want your watch or jewel-
ry repaired done in good order
take it to Conley's.

EDMOND'S BRANCH.

The Democrats of this vicinity
are all well pleased with the make-
up of the ticket. In fact it would
not be otherwise, considering all
the good things from which the
voters made their selections.

Hon. John W. Hughes, who was
formerly the great showman, but
has now quit the show business
and gone to a more lucrative em-
ployment on the head of Morgan's
creek, was visiting relatives at
what is termed Albright hollow,
near here a few days ago.

There is a great deal of sickness
throughout the county, mostly
throat troubles.

Corn and weeds are both grow-
ing nicely, but are needing rain
somewhat. William Adkins, Sr.,
thinks that the corn is needing rain
a little the most.

Wheat harvest and hot weather
is the most of the talk among our
farmers at present.

The outcrop will be very short
compared to that of last year.

No apples nor peaches at all in
this section this year.

Among the many sick of our
neighborhood Lee Hille and wife
and Mrs. Mary Hughes are on the
list.

R. L. Curran, of Mudge, was
down Sunday writing some song
ballads for some of the young
folks.

William Chaffin has procured the
school at this place.

G. R. Porter will pedagogue on
Morgan creek, and James Eusey
on the Long Branch.

COUNTRY GREENHOUSES.

A PRETTY FACE
is the result of a
healthy physio-
logical condition. "Beauty
is but skin deep," yet it greatly de-
pends on a clear
complexion, free
from wrinkles and
fallow cheeks.

Health always
brings wealth of
beauty. A healthy
face is the result of
a healthy system.
This is the time to
use Ayer's Sarsaparilla.
It will drive out
all the impurities
of the blood, and
bring about a clear
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LOYAL DEMOCRATS.

To the Voters of Lawrence
County.

CHARTLEY, KY., June 25, 1891.
From an article in the last week's
Picket one would think I (and the
rest of the defeated candidates in
the primary) have a cause for com-
plaint.

The majority of the Democrats
of the county picked a No. 1 ticket
on the fifth inst., and one that will
be a winner in November. I'm
sure we are all willing to abide by
it. I am perfectly satisfied with it
and also that a good majority
thought that this was Hill Woods'
time to be County Judge.

I've nothing to grieve over and
don't consider myself slighted in
any respect, as my neighboring
districts stood by me well, and my
time is still at the disposal of the
Democratic party. Hill Woods
was nominated fairly and honestly
and by a good majority. The party
should pull together and give the
nominations good a majority in
November as they received in the
primary and if the other parties of
the county will stand by the ticket
as well as George's Creek District will
this fall, they'll get that majority,
and we will be done with juggling
voting precincts. If any defeated
candidate on George's creek has a
cause to feel sure over his treat-
ment it is one who was "traded
out" in the "Blind Tiger Delegate
Convention" and not one who was
in an honest Democratic primary.

JOHN HAYS.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.
Seeing that a majority of the
Democrats think that my opponent
G. W. Skagos was the stronger can-
didate for County Attorney, I yield
with entire submission and say to
you all that I will be found from
now until election day working for
the nominee and the party inter-
est; and will say if the rest of the
workers of the party do as much
as I will for him and the party, we
will come through with dying col-
ors.

Now I want to say in earnest
that if there is no swapping or
"trading out water" there is no
danger of any of our ticket. We
have a ticket that the country peo-
ple will stand by.
My friend Skagos would have
been elected before if the country
people had had their wishes. He
is a good lawyer and will make a
good County Attorney. If you will
give him a chance, he has always
been a poor man, has had but little
encouragement, and has made him-
self a good lawyer by the hardest
work and study. There is not a
bigger hearted man in the county
than I am.

Now as a matter of course, I
should have liked to have had the
nomination and know that I could
have gone through, but a majority
of the party have said that Green
was the man and I say so too. Now,
a long pull, a strong pull and a pull
all together and we will get there.
With no one to blame for my de-
feat, and finding no one except
myself in a so-called promising
to be found riding and working for
the party as I have since 1856.

TIP MOORE.

Johnson County.

PAINTSVILLE.

This county in convention yes-
terday instructed its delegates to
vote for Hon. Joe M. Kendall as a
Democratic candidate in the next
Congress. Mr. Kendall carried
every county in this valley except
Pike in which county Mr. Robert-
son is a candidate. We are in-
formed Mr. Kendall carried every
county in the district except those
counties having candidates.

Two gentlemen came here last
week from Mt. Sterling and brought
a barrel of money and wanted to
buy Johnson county's Democracy
for a bluegrass man, but to the
credit of Johnson county they re-
ceived no encouragement and left
thoroughly as they found it.

Some time ago it was reported
that Robert Mead an honorable
citizen of Oil Springs had died and
was buried. This was a mistake.
It worried Mr. Mead very much to
learn that his friends had heard
such news. The sad intelligence
is now true. He suffered from
tooth ache last Sunday and put
some medicine in his mouth to
cure the tooth ache, from the effects
of the medicine he died at three
o'clock Monday morning. He
leaves a wife and several children.
A new saloon has been built on
a boat and lies in the river just
above the mouth of Paint creek.
Hence two open saloons in less
than one mile of Paintsville. Have
our officers forgotten their oaths, or
have they no information of these
violations of the law.

HOCKFELLER.

WILEUR.

Preaching here last Sunday by
Rev. B. E. Morris and John Stam-
lean, also at Sturgis Chapel by
Rev. J. H. Sturgill.

O. R. Sturham attended church
at Richardson last Sunday and
reports a good time.

Dolley Kiso and wife, of George's
creek, was visiting home folks Sat-
urday and Sunday.

Mr. Charles Lynch, of Catletts-
burg, called on our merchants to

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No Free Gift for this Week.

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PRICES FOR JULY 4, ONLY.	Clover Leaf Flour,	\$3.65
	Golden Rod Flour,	3.65
	Jay's Pride Flour,	3.15
	19 lbs of Granulated Sugar,	1.00

Following are prices for all days except July 4:
Clover Leaf Flour, 3.75 Golden Rod flour, 3.75
Jay's Pride, 3.40. 18 lbs Granulated Sugar, 1.00

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"Only the Scars Remain,"

Says HENRY HENSON, of the James
Smith Wooden
Machinery Co.,
Philadelphia,
Pa., who cer-
tifies as follows:
"Among the
many testimonials
which I see
in regard to cer-
tain medicines
performing
cures, clearing
the blood, etc.,
none impress me
more than my
own case.
Twenty years
ago, at the age
of 18 years, I had
swellings come
on my legs,
which broke and
became run-
ning sores.
Our family phy-
sician could do
me no good, and it
was feared that the
bones would be affected. At last, my
good old

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Mother Urged Me
to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I took three
bottles, the sores healed, and I have not
been troubled since. Only the scars
remain, and the memory of the
past, to remind me of the good
Ayer's Sarsaparilla has done me.
I now weigh two hundred and twenty
pounds, and am in the best of health.
I have been on the road for the past
twenty years, have visited Ayer's Sar-
saparilla advertised in all parts of the
United States, and always take pleas-
ure in telling what good it did for me."

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